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TO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

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BANGKOK FOR GAO MR. STAFFORD

E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS:AGAO, SPOP

SUBJECT:GAO SURVEY: POPULATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS IN  
PAKISTAN

1. OVER PAST MONTHS GAO WASHDC HAS BEEN STUDYING POPULA-  
TION AND FAMILY PLANNING PROGRAMS IN THE DEPARTMENT AND  
AID/W, PLUS VISITS TO USUN FOR DISCUSSIONS ON RELATED  
UNDP AND UNFPA MATTERS. GAO NOW PLANS INITIATE OVERSEAS  
PHASE OF STUDY, STARTING IN ISLAMABAD FEBRUARY 16,  
APPROXIMATELY FOUR WEEKS AT POST. GAO AUDITORS BANGKOK  
OFFICE WILL CONDUCT PAKISTAN STUDY AND MANAGER THAT OFFICE  
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WILL FURNISH EMBASSY WITH NAMES AND SECURITY CLEARANCES

OF GAO AUDITORS PERFORMING WORK, AND OF THEIR ACTUAL  
ARRIVAL DATES.

2. GAO SURVEY EFFORTS OVERSEAS BEING DIRECTED TO GATHERING  
INFORMATION ON POPULATION AND CERTAIN SOCIO-ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS THAT ARE AFFECTED BY THE POPULATION  
GROWTH RATE. PROGRAMS FOR STUDY ARE THOSE OF USG, HOST  
COUNTRY, UN, VOLAGS, AND OTHER DONOR COUNTRIES. GAO  
ADVISES THAT SURVEY OBJECTIVE IS TO OBTAIN USEFUL  
ANALYTICAL DATA FOR THE CONGRESS RELATIVE TO THEIR AUTHORI-  
ZATION AND APPROPRIATION FOR POPULATION AND FAMILY PLANNING  
PROGRAMS.

3. GAO AWARE THAT APPOINTMENTS OR CONTACTS WITH HOST  
GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, OR OFFICIALS OF VOLAGS AND/OR  
OTHER DONOR COUNTRIES, ARE AT DISCRETION OF AMBASSADOR,  
TO BE ARRANGED FOR BY THE EMBASSY, AND WITH THE CONCUR-  
RENCE OF THE APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS. GAO TEAM WILL ALSO  
WISH MEET WITH UN REPS RE THEIR ONGOING POP PROGRAMS.  
HOWEVER, DEPARTMENT/UNNY ADVANCE CLEARANCE REQUIRED AND  
WILL BE SUBJECT SEPTTEL. TO EXTENT POSSIBLE, DISCUSSIONS  
SHOULD BE CONDUCTED IN PRESENCE EMBOFFICER.

4. DEPARTMENT WISHES BE FORTHCOMING AND COOPERATE WITH  
GAO ON SUBJECT SURVEY WITHIN PROVISIONS 4 FAM 930-934.  
QUESTIONS OR PROBLEMS ARISING DURING COURSE OF SURVEY  
SHOULD BE REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. KISSINGER

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